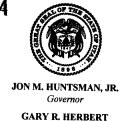
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October 29, 2008

Elliot Finley, Resident Agent Hiawatha Coal Company P.O. Box 1240 Huntington, Utah 84528

Subject: Letter of Credit #00336176, Hiawatha Coal Company, Hiawatha Mine, C/007/0011,

Outgoing File

Dear Mr. Finley:

The Division was notified on August 18, 2008 that the expiration date for Letter of Credit #00336176 was extended to December 15, 2008 (see attached). Please be advised that if Letter of Credit #00336176 is not replaced or renewed by November 14, 2008 it will be forfeited (R645-301-860.222).

If you choose to replace Letter of Credit #00336176 with another type of bond, you must complete all required paperwork with the Division by the November 14, 2008 deadline. Hiawatha Coal Company must maintain continuous bond coverage.

Please keep in mind that replacing the Letter of Credit can be a lengthy process, and feel free to contact me at your earliest convenience to coordinate our efforts.

If you have any questions, please call me at (801) 538-5264.

Sincerely,

Angela Nance

Bond Coordinator

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cc: Price Field Office

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AUG 14, 2008

OUR L/C NO.: 00336176

APPLICANT REF. NO.: 00336176

AMENDMENT NO.: 8

TO:

STATE OF UTAH, DEPT. OF NATURAL RESOURCES - DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING 1594 WEST NORTH TEMPLE, STE 1210 SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84114 APPLICANT:

M.B.S.C. LLC. ON BEHALF OF HIAWATHA

COAL COMPANY, INC.

3212 SOUTH STATE STREET

SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84105

IN ACCORDANCE WITH INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED, THE ABOVE REFERENCED STANDBY LETTER OF CREDIT HAS BEEN AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

RECEIVER'S REFERENCE:

NONREF

NEW DATE OF EXPIRY:

DECEMBER 15, 2008

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE CREDIT REMAIN UNCHANGED.

AUTHORIXED SIGNATURE

RECEIVED **

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING